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P&G Case AA399XM

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of :
George Endel Deckner : Confirmation No. 5574
Serial No. 10/009,083 : Group Art Unit 1616
Filed March 20, 2002 : Examiner Qazi, Sabiha Naim

For Absorbent Article with Skin Care Composition

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2004, for 1 month, from May 29, 2004 to June 29, 2004. The Director is hereby authorized to charge \$110.00 for the extension, plus any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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